

Translation III. – KEY

1. *He may / might / could be waiting at the station when we arrive.*
2. *Do you think the plane will be on time? – I don't know. It may / might / could be delayed by / due to fog.*
3. *We can't bathe here on account of / because of sharks.*
4. *Couldn't you have come a little earlier?*
5. *I could have lent you the money. Why didn't you ask me (to)?*
6. *You should / ought to paint the door. Yes, I know I should / ought to.*
7. *I shouldn't / oughtn't to be telling you this. It is supposed to be / It is to be a secret.*
8. *I'm glad I don't have to / don't need to go to work today.*
9. *There were no buses, so we had to walk.*
10. *You needn't / don't have to / don't need to change your clothes. Just come as you are.*
11. *When I have a telephone of my own / my own telephone I won't have to / won't need to waste time waiting outside the / those awful/terrible/horrible/wretched telephone boxes.*
12. *You needn't have written such a long essay. The teacher only asked for 300 words, and you have written 600.*
13. *She shouldn't / oughtn't to have stood in the queue / She shouldn't / oughtn't to have queued (up). She should / ought to have got tickets from the (vending) machine.*
14. *It can't be an aeroplane. It must be a helicopter.*
15. *The plane should / ought to be taking off in a minute.*